Program A: Southwest Louisiana War Veterans Home

Program Authorization: R.S. 29:381 et seq.

Program Description

The Southwest Louisiana War Veterans Home is scheduled to open in April 2004 in Jennings, Louisiana. The 165-bed home will start accepting veterans in July 2004.

The mission of the Southwest Louisiana War Veterans Home is to provide medical care and nursing home care to disabled and homeless Louisiana veterans. The goal of the Southwest Louisiana War Veterans Home program is to provide quality nursing care to homeless Louisiana veterans in an effort of returning the veterans to the highest physical and mental capacity. This program was instituted in recognition of the growing long-term health care needs of increasing numbers of Louisiana veterans who are disabled by age or disease or are otherwise incapable of caring for themselves.

The Southwest Louisiana War Veterans Home consists of one activity: Administrative.

RESOURCE ALLOCATION FOR THE PROGRAM

| | ACTUAL 2001-2002 | ACT 13 2002-2003 | EXISTING 2002-2003 | CONTINUATION 2003-2004 | RECOMMENDED 2003-2004 | RECOMMENDED OVER/(UNDER) EXISTING |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| MEANS OF FINANCING: | | | | | | |
| STATE GENERAL FUND (Direct) | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$400,000 | \$400,000 |
| STATE GENERAL FUND BY: | | | | | | |
| Interagency Transfers | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fees & Self-gen. Revenues | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Statutory Dedications | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Interim Emergency Board | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$400,000 | \$400,000 |
| EXPENDITURES & REQUEST: | | | | | | |
| Salaries | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$135,179 | \$135,179 |
| Other Compensation | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Related Benefits | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36,498 | 36,498 |
| Total Operating Expenses | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 147,323 | 147,323 |
| Professional Services | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total Other Charges | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total Acq. & Major Repairs | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 81,000 | 81,000 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND REQUEST | <u>\$0</u> | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$400,000 | \$400,000 |
| AUTHORIZED FULL-TIME | | | | | | |
| EQUIVALENTS: Classified | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 17 |
| Unclassified | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| TOTAL | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 19 |

SOURCE OF FUNDING

This program is funded with State General Fund.

MAJOR FINANCIAL CHANGES

| GENERAL FUND | TOTAL | T.O. | DESCRIPTION | |
|-----------------|-----------|------|--|--|
| \$0 | \$0 | 0 | ACT 13 FISCAL YEAR 2002-2003 | |
| \$0 | \$0 | 0 | BA-7 TRANSACTIONS: None | |
| \$0 | \$0 | 0 | EXISTING OPERATING BUDGET - December 2, 2002 | |
| \$400,000 | \$400,000 | 19 | New and Expanded Adjustments - Initial funding for the new, 156-bed veterans home in Jennings, Louisiana, scheduled to open in April 2004. | |
| \$400,000 | \$400,000 | 19 | TOTAL RECOMMENDED | |
| \$0 | \$0 | 0 | LESS GOVERNOR'S SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS | |
| \$400,000 | \$400,000 | 19 | BASE EXECUTIVE BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2003-2004 | |
| \$0 | \$0 | 0 | SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS CONTINGENT ON NEW REVENUE: None | |
| \$0 | \$0 | 0 | TOTAL SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS CONTINGENT ON NEW REVENUE | |
| \$400,000 | \$400,000 | 19 | GRAND TOTAL RECOMMENDED | |

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

This program does not have funding recommended for Professional Services for Fiscal Year 2003-2004.

OTHER CHARGES

This program does not have funding recommended for Other Charges for Fiscal Year 2003-2004.

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ACQUISITIONS AND MAJOR REPAIRS

\$81,000 Initial acquisitions for the opening of the Home.

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